



At St. Thomas, we're on a mission to do good. Inspired by the Catholic intellectual tradition, our curriculum combines the practical with the purposeful - giving you the opportunity to get out and make a difference in our Minneapolis-St. Paul community while you're a student and preparing you for a lifetime of meaningful work after you graduate.

This guide is meant to assist students in selecting courses that will fulfill St. Thomas requirements, while also completing goal areas within the Minnesota Transfer Curriculum (MnTC). St. Thomas evaluates courses on a course-by-course basis. While many of the courses in the MnTC or the Associate of Arts (A.A.) degree fulfill St. Thomas' core curriculum, it does NOT fulfill our liberal arts requirements in their entirety.

## ST. THOMAS CORE CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS

- Literature and Writing- 2 courses
- Moral and Philosophical Reasoning- 2 courses
- Natural Science, Mathematical and Quantitative Reasoning- 3 courses
- Faith and the Catholic Tradition- 3 courses
- Social Analysis- 1 course\*
- Historical Studies- 1 course
- Fine Arts-1 course\*
- Language and Culture- 1 intermediate-level language course
  - Students must complete the 111, 112 and 211 sequence in a particular language. All students with previous language experience must take a placement examination administered by Modern and Classical Languages program. The student's previous work in language will be considered.
- Human Diversity- 1 course\*

\*Courses fulfilling this requirement may also fulfill another core area requirement

**Starting fall 2020 the University of St. Thomas will implement a new core curriculum. Contact your admissions counselor to see how your courses will fit the new core curriculum.**

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## STUDENTS MOST LIKELY TO BE ACCEPTED

- Complete at least 28 semester (or 42 quarter) credits of transferable college-level coursework from a regionally accredited college, university or community college.\*\* To determine if your college has regional accreditation, contact the Office of Admissions.
- Earned a cumulative GPA of at least 2.30 in transferable college-level work

\*\*If you have completed fewer than 28 semester credits or the equivalent, your cumulative college GPA may need to be higher for acceptance, and more emphasis will be placed on your academic record from high school

## NOTES

- Students will be required to fulfill core curriculum requirements as published in the catalog of the year they enroll at the University of St. Thomas.
- Only coursework in which the student earned a grade of C- or higher from a regionally accredited college/university will be recognized for credit at St. Thomas.
- St. Thomas requires 84 credits outside the major department (76 credits for business majors), and a total of 132 credits for graduation. Students must complete 32 of their last 36 credits at St. Thomas, as stated in the Senior Residency Requirement.

## APPEALING COURSES:

The courses listed in this guide are not necessarily the only courses that will fulfill the requirements at St. Thomas. You may appeal courses that are not listed here by submitting the course syllabi for faculty review. Please contact your transfer admissions counselor to begin this process.

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**For more information about transferring to St. Thomas please contact:**

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Office of Undergraduate Financial Aid  
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To schedule a visit  
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# UNIVERSITY OF ST. THOMAS

## ITASCA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

### 2019-2020 TRANSFER COURSE GUIDE

The following sections are for St. Thomas' Core Liberal Arts requirements:

| <b>St. Thomas Core - Literature and Writing (Two Courses)</b>        |                                 |         |           |
|--|---------------------------------|---------|-----------|
| <b>ENGL 121 Critical Thinking: Literature and Writing (1 Course)</b> |                                 |         |           |
| Itasca Course #  | Itasca Course Title             | Credits | MnTC Goal |
| ENGL 1101  | Composition I                   | 3       | 1, 2      |
| ENGL 1113  | Composition II                  | 3       | 1, 2      |
| ENGL 2100  | Introduction to Literature      | 3       | 2, 6, 8   |
| <b>ENGL 206: Text in Conversations (1 Course)</b>                    |                                 |         |           |
| Itasca Hills Course #  | Itasca Course Title             | Credits | MnTC Goal |
| ENGL 2131  | Introduction to the Novel       | 3       | 2, 6, 8   |
| ENGL 2133  | Introduction to Poetry          | 3       | 2, 6, 8   |
| ENGL 2134  | Introduction to the Short Story | 3       | 2, 6, 8   |
| ENGL 2135 *  | American Indian Literature      | 3       | 2, 6, 7   |
| ENGL 2136  | Mythology                       | 3       | 2, 6, 8   |
| *Course also fulfills Human Diversity Requirement                    |                                 |         |           |

| <b>St. Thomas Core - Fine Arts (Pick one of the following courses)</b> |                        |         |           |
|--|------------------------|---------|-----------|
| Itasca Course #  | Itasca Course Title    | Credits | MnTC Goal |
| ART 1115   | American Indian Art    | 3       | 2,6,7     |
| MUSC 1111  | Music Appreciation     | 3       | 2,6,8     |
| MUSC 1115  | American Popular Music | 3       | 2,6       |

| <b>St. Thomas Core – Moral and Philosophical Reasoning (2 Courses)</b>  |                     |         |           |
|---|---------------------|---------|-----------|
| Students take two courses as follows:<br>PHIL 115 Philosophy of the Human Person Plus PHIL 214 or 215 Introductory Ethics |                     |         |           |
| Itasca Course #   | Itasca Course Title | Credits | MnTC Goal |
| These courses must be taken at St. Thomas.  |                     |         |           |

| <b>St. Thomas Core – Faith and the Catholic Tradition (3 Courses)</b>   |                     |         |           |
|---|---------------------|---------|-----------|
| Students select three courses as follows:<br>Theology 101, One Theology course at the 200 or 300-level, and One Theology course as the 400-level. |                     |         |           |
| Itasca Course #   | Itasca Course Title | Credits | MnTC Goal |
| These courses must be taken at St. Thomas.  |                     |         |           |

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**St. Thomas Core - Natural Science and Mathematical and Quantitative Reasoning (3 Courses)**

Students are required to take a core area course in natural science with a laboratory component, a core area course in mathematics, and a third core area course in natural science (with a laboratory component), mathematics (MATH 114 or higher), OR quantitative reasoning.

**Natural Science (must include a laboratory component)**

| Itasca Course # | Itasca Course Title               | Credits | MnTC Goal |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------|---------|-----------|
| BIOL 1101       | Human Biology + Lab               | 4       | 2, 3, 10  |
| BIOL 1111       | Microbiology + Lab                | 3       |           |
| BIOL 1201       | General Biology I + Lab           | 4       | 2, 3, 10  |
| BIOL 1202       | General Biology II + Lab          | 4       | 2, 3, 10  |
| BIOL 2101       | Human Anatomy and Physiology I    | 4       | 2, 3      |
| BIOL 2101       | Human Anatomy and Physiology II   | 4       | 2, 3      |
| BIOL 2131       | Forest Ecology + Lab              | 4       |           |
| CHEM 1101       | Fundamentals of Chemistry         | 4       | 2, 3, 10  |
| CHEM 1201       | General Chemistry I               | 4       | 2, 3      |
| CHEM 2201       | Organic Chemistry                 | 5       | 2, 3      |
| NSCI 1121       | Earth Science                     | 4       | 2, 3      |
| NSCI 1131       | Principles of Wildlife Management | 3       |           |
| PHYS 1101       | Fundamentals of Physics I         | 4       | 2, 3, 10  |
| PHYS 1102       | Fundamentals of Physics II        | 4       | 2, 3, 10  |
| PHYS 1201       | General Physics I                 | 4       | 2, 3, 10  |
| PHYS 1202       | General Physics II                | 4       | 2, 3      |

**Mathematical**

| Itasca Course # | Itasca Course Title | Credits | MnTC Goal |
|-----------------|---------------------|---------|-----------|
| MATH 1101       | Contemporary Math   | 3       |           |
| MATH 1122       | Calculus I          | 4       |           |
| MATH 1123       | Calculus II         | 4       |           |

**Quantitative Reasoning**

| Itasca Course # | Itasca Course Title   | Credits | MnTC Goal |
|-----------------|-----------------------|---------|-----------|
| MATH 1105       | Elementary Statistics | 4       |           |

**St. Thomas Core – Social Analysis (Pick one of the following courses)**

| Itasca Course # | Itasca Course Title       | Credits | MnTC Goal |
|-----------------|---------------------------|---------|-----------|
| ECON 2101 **    | Macroeconomics            | 3       | 2,5,8     |
| ECON 2102 **    | Microeconomics            | 3       | 2,5,8     |
| GEOG 1104 *     | World Regional Geography  | 3       | 2,5,8     |
| GEOG 1108 *     | Cultural Geography        | 3       | 2,5,7     |
| PSYC 1101       | General Psychology        | 3       | 2,5,7     |
| SOC 1101 *      | Introduction to Sociology | 3       | 2,5,7     |
| SOC 1201 *      | Social Problems           | 3       | 2,5,9     |

\*Course also fulfills Human Diversity requirement

\*\*Encouraged for students pursuing a Business major

**St. Thomas Core – Historical Studies (Pick one of the following courses)**

| Itasca Course # | Itasca Course Title | Credits | MnTC Goal |
|-----------------|---------------------|---------|-----------|
|-----------------|---------------------|---------|-----------|

Please submit a syllabus to be officially reviewed to determine equivalency

**St. Thomas Core – Language and Culture (one Intermediate Level Language Course)**

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Intermediate level course in any modern or classical language will fulfill this requirement. Students should work with their counselor at the Community College to determine placement/path into these Intermediate level courses.

| Itasca Course #  | Itasca Course Title | Credits | MnTC Goal |
|--|---------------------|---------|-----------|
| Itasca currently does not offer intermediate language courses                                  |                     |         |           |
| <b>Note: A satisfactory score on the St. Thomas placement exam can waive this requirement.</b> |                     |         |           |

**St. Thomas Core – Human Diversity (Pick one of the following courses)**

| Itasca Course # | Itasca Title               | Credits | MnTC Goal |
|-----------------|----------------------------|---------|-----------|
| ENGL 2135 *     | American Indian Literature | 3       | 2, 6, 7   |
| GEOG 1104 **    | World Regional Geography   | 3       | 2,5,8     |
| GEOG 1108 **    | Cultural Geography         | 3       | 2,5,7     |
| SOC 1101 **     | Introduction to Sociology  | 3       | 2,5,7     |
| SOC 1201 **     | Social Problems            | 3       | 2,5,9     |

\*Course also fulfills second English requirement

\*\* Course also fulfills Social Analysis requirement

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# UNIVERSITY OF ST. THOMAS

OPUS COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

ITASCA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

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| Core Business Courses   |   |                       |                        |
|---|---|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Itasca Course #   | Itasca Course Title                           | St. Thomas Equivalent | # of Credits at Itasca |
| ACCT 2015<br>ACCT 2020  | Financial Accounting<br>Managerial Accounting | ACCT 100 & ACCT 200   | 8                      |
| Students must complete both ACCT 2015 & 2020 to receive credit for ACCT 100 & 200 at St. Thomas. If a student has not completed both, the will be required to take both ACCT 100 & 200 at St. Thomas.                                 |   |                       |                        |
| The Opus College of Business will review other Business courses from Itasca Community College to determine equivalencies. Students must submit a syllabus to their admission counselor for this review prior to enrolling in courses. |   |                       |                        |

| Allied Business Courses  |                                 |                       |                        |
|--|---------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Itasca Course #  | Itasca Course Title             | St. Thomas Equivalent | # of Credits at Itasca |
| ECON 2101  | Macroeconomics                  | ECON 251              | 3                      |
| ECON 2102  | Microeconomics                  | ECON 252              | 3                      |
| MATH 1105  | Elementary Statistics           | STAT 200              | 4                      |
| Communication Requirement for Business   |                                 |                       |                        |
| SPCH 1105  | Fundamentals of Public Speaking | COJO 100              | 4                      |
| Students can also wait and take Intercultural Communication at St. Thomas.   |                                 |                       |                        |
| Student doing Financial Management or Accounting concentration do not need to complete a communication course.<br>Student doing an International Business concentration must take Intercultural Communication.   |                                 |                       |                        |
| Math Requirement for Business  |                                 |                       |                        |
| MATH 1122  | Calculus I                      | MATH 113              | 4                      |
| Student doing a Financial Management Concentration need the above calculus course. Students looking to do one of the other 11 concentrations, need Finite Math which is not offered at Itasca Community College or can complete the above calculus course. |                                 |                       |                        |
| *Course also fulfills Social Analysis requirement<br>**Course also fulfills Quantitative Reasoning requirement<br>***Course also fulfills Human Diversity requirement<br>****Course also fulfills Mathematics requirement                                  |                                 |                       |                        |

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